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Part B for NOV. 1 1942

SUBJECT.

Re — the classification of the Kaniyara community under the Backward classes"

G 6590 D 26/11/42

To The Central Superintendent

Directs that the Kaniyara community be classified under the Backward classes in the next census.

T. B. Ramanna
26/11/42

Re. Classification of Vaniyar Community in the Census of 1941.

General and Revenue Secretariat — Cen. File No. 29 of 1941. — [App. F. III—2

Serial No.	
	From The President, Vaniyar Sangha No. G.S.8-9 dated 18-9-1942. Requesting that (1) an endorsement may be granted to the Vaniyar Sangha ~~as done in the case of Vaniyar Seva Sangam~~ in the matter of Classification of Vaniyar Community in the Census and (2) the endorsement issued to the Sangha be withdrawn.
1)	Orders of the Minister, L.S.G. and P.H. on the Petn. "be need not be ~~personal~~ Controversy."
2)	After due consideration of the matter the Census Superintendent has been instructed in this office letter of 24-8-42 to mention in the Census Report that the Vaniyar Community was not included in the Backward Class in the Census Tables of the present Census and that according to the desire of the Community the same would be classified under the backward class in the next Census of 1951 and this fact has been intimated to the Secy. of the Vaniyar Seva Samajam.
3)	The President of the Vaniyar Sangha now represents

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that the Sangha which is the only organisation of the Vanniyar Community in the State working strenuously for the advancement of the educational, social and moral welfare of the Community is in existence since 1926,

that the Sangha has carried on all the agitation since last Census for this change and that the Vanniyar Seva Samaja came into existence through ill-feeling only a few months ago and requests

(1) that the Endorsement may be issued to the Sangha about the decision arrived at by Govt.; and

(2) that the Endorsement granted to the Vanniyar Seva Samaja may be withdrawn.

4) For orders whether the Petitions may be filed in view of the orders passed by the Minister or an endorsement issued to the Sangha (as in the case of Vanniyar Seva Samaj) to avoid repetition of Petitions. Govt. Cannot take sides of this inter-caste Controversies in the Community

Some petitions have been received

Memo of Points submitted by the

Classification of Nambiar Community in the present Context

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	President, Nambiyar Sangha Dy 25-9-6[illegible]
	Devan's orders on the memo.
DUO 2	"Note and references as already called for"
	Subj. for orders with reference to paras 1-4 supra.
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Govt. do not think it necessary for them to enter into the Controversy of the relativity of the two Associations viz., Vanniyar Sangha and Vanniyar Seva Sangha.

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2) During the R.A Session of October 1960, Mr. M.C Rangappa had brought up a representation re. classification of Kaniyar Community under the Backward classes instead of under Depressed classes. During the discussion, the President replied that the prayer would be noted. This proviso was sent to the Census Supdt. and the D.C Mysore for furnishing their opinions in the matter. The opinions of both were in favourable to the prayer of the Sangha.

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3) In the meantime several representations from one Mr. G. Narayanaswamy & others were received requesting Govt. on behalf of the Kaniyar Community to classify them under the backward classes in the present Census. Later he submitted representation to Govt. as Hon. Secretary of the Kaniyar Seva Sangha, which was dated from 1-1-1962, were sent to the Census Supdt. for giving him a suitable endorsement. The Census Supdt., in his letter Dy 8-62 has stated that the Kaniyar Community has been classified under Adi Karnataka as in previous years.

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Classification of Nadiyar Community in the Census of 1941

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From - The President, Nadiyar Sangha
No. Gt. 8-9 dated 18-9-1942
Requests that - (1) an endorsement may be granted to the Nadiyar Sangha in the matter of Classification of Nadiyar Community in the present Census and (2) the endorsement issued to the Sangha be withdrawn for reason stated therein.

Orders of the Minister, H.S.G. & P.H. on the P.W.D.

"We need not be drawn into this personal Controversy".

Minutes of points submitted to the Diwan & the President of the Sangha on 25-9-42 in the matter.

Diwan's orders on the Minutes.

"Note and references as already called for.

P.W.D. II

1) The question of classifying the Nadiyar Community under backward classes was considered at the last Census and the then Superintendent, after investigating into the details re. the origin and growth of the Community has explained the reasons for classifying it under depressed classes in the Report,

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As a further representation in the matter, it was finally ordered that it be mentioned in the Census Report that the Vaniyar Community was not included in the Backward class in the Census Tables of the previous Census and that according to the desire of the Community the members would be classified under the Backward class in the next Census of 1951 (Vide para 80 of the notes in the Census, Education and Letter the Census Supdt. and the Secretary of the Sangha have been informed of this fact on 24-8-1942.

Till then the Vaniyar Sangha did not come forward with representations in the matter.

4) The President of the Vaniyar Sangha now represents that the Sangha alone is the only organisation of the Vaniyar Community in the State working strenuously for the advancement of the educational, social and moral welfare of the Community in existence since 1926, that the Sangha has carried on all the agitation since last Census for this change and that the Vaniyar

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Seva Samaja came into existence through ill-feelings only a few months ago and request —

(1) that an endorsement may be issued to the Sangha about the decision arrived at by Govt.; and (2) that the endorsement granted to the Nanjiyar Seva Samaja may be withdrawn.

5) For orders whether the petitions may be filed in view of the orders passed by the Minister or the P.W.D. or an endorsement issued to the Sangha (as in the case of Nanjiyar Seva Samaja) to avoid repetition of petitions

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6) an Endorsement may be issued to the President, Kanniyara Sangha on the lines of the one issued to the Nanjiyar Seva Samaja

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Dept Sec'y

8) Subd for perusal and orders with previous refs

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Min. & S.G. & Dewan

UG 30/9/42

9) A draft G.O. may be put up after perusal by the Dewan. 2.10.42 H.G.

10) To be submitted to the Dewan for G.O. H.G.

11) Draft G.O. put up

OFFICE OF THE MIN'STER FOR L. S. G. & P. H.
Date 1-10-42
No. 2719

OFFICE OF THE MIN'STER FOR L. S. G. & P. H.
Date 2-10-42
No. 2944

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Subs. with a draft G.O. dis. enacting imposing qualification. It is respectfully submitted that no G.O. is necessary in the matter. A draft to the Presidency, Vaniyar Sangha is also put up for consideration.

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as amended in para above
A draft P.O.L.V a draft Endorsement are put up for Consideration.

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For appl or other orders.

Min. & S.G.) WD 31/10/42

The proc. may issue

Please bring up 2/11

HG.

(Obtained the Min's instns) 17.11.42

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Min. & S.G.) WD 18/11/42

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR L. S. G. & P. H. Date 4.11.42 No. 3678

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No. 2

To the Census Supdt.
No. G. 6590 dt. 26-11-42
Directs that the Kaniyar
Community be classified under
Backward classes in the next
Census viz, census of 1951.
Endt No. G. 6592-2 dt 26-11-42
To the Secretary, K. V. Sangam
The President, K. Sangha.

Invites their attention to the
G.O. dt 26-11-42 in the matter.

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30/11/42

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OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR L. S. G. & P. H.
Date 6-11-42
No. P.30

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ

ತಾರೀಖು 28. 8. 1942

ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಪ್ರೈವೀಯಿ ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲ್ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀಯುತ ಸರ್ ಮಿರ್ಜಾ ಇಸ್ಮಾಯಿಲ್ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಸಮರ್ಪಣೆ

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ಕಣಿಯರ ಸೇವಾ ಸಮಾಜ ಎಂಬ ಹೆಸರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಗ್ರಂಥವನ್ನು ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲು ಮತ್ತು ಮುದ್ರಣಾಲಯದ ಹೆಸರು ಮತ್ತು ವಿಳಾಸವನ್ನು ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲು ಅನುಮತಿ ಕೊಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ
ತಾರೀಖು 28. 8. 1942

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ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಪ್ರೈವೀಯಿ ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲ್ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀಯುತ ಸರ್ ಮಿರ್ಜಾ ಇಸ್ಮಾಯಿಲ್ ಅವರಿಗೆ

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ಸಂಪಾದಕರ ಮನವಿ

ಕಣಿಯರ ಸೇವಾ ಸಮಾಜದ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾಪಕರಾದ ಶ್ರೀಯುತ ಸಿ. ಕೆ. ವೆಂಕಟರಾಮಯ್ಯ ಎಂ. ಎ., ಬಿ. ಎಲ್. ಅವರು ಸಂಪಾದಕರಾಗಿ ಈ ಗ್ರಂಥವನ್ನು ಸಿದ್ಧಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅವರ ಮನವಿ ಹೀಗಿದೆ:

ನಮ್ಮ ಕಣಿಯರ ಸೇವಾ ಸಮಾಜದ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳಾದ ಶ್ರೀಯುತ ಸಿ. ಕೆ. ವೆಂಕಟರಾಮಯ್ಯ ಎಂ. ಎ., ಬಿ. ಎಲ್. ಅವರು ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳ ಪತ್ರ ದಿನಾಂಕ 25-12-1941 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲು ಸಿದ್ಧತೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದರು. ಆದರೆ ತಾರೀಖು 18-2-1942 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಎಂ. ಓ. ಪತ್ರವನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲು ಸಾಧ್ಯವಿಲ್ಲವೆಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದರು. ಆದರೆ ಈ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲು ಸಿದ್ಧತೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದ ಕಾರಣ ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಬೇಕಾದ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಸಂಗ್ರಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಆ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳು ಸಮಾಜದ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಅನುಮತಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟರು. ಆ ಹಣವನ್ನು ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಈ ಗ್ರಂಥವನ್ನು ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಕಣಿಯರ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿ ಇಲ್ಲಿಯವರೆಗೂ ಅದರ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮಗಳನ್ನು ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ಬಂದ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳಾದ ಶ್ರೀಯುತ ಸಿ. ಕೆ. ವೆಂಕಟರಾಮಯ್ಯ ಎಂ. ಎ., ಬಿ. ಎಲ್. ಅವರಿಗೆ ಸಮಾಜದ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕೃತಜ್ಞತೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

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ಸಂ. 29/42-43 ತಾರೀಖು 28.8.1942

ಬಂಧು ಮಿತ್ರರಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಲಿನ ಹೆಂಡತಿಯು ತೀರಿದ ಹೆಣ್ಣಿನಕೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಆಚಾರ್ಯರ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಂತೆ ಸ್ನಾನ ಮೊದಲಾದ್ದಂತೆ ಪಿಶ್ರೀಕೆ ಕ್ರಿಯಾದಿಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿ ಸಿರುವಾಕೆ ಪ್ರೀತಿಯ ಮಿತ್ರರಲ್ಲಿ ಬಿನ್ನಪ್ಪ ಏನೆಂದರೆ ಚುಕ್ಕೆ ಹೆಣ್ಣಿನಕೆ ಸೂತಕ ಹೆಂಡತಿಯವರಿಗೆ ಪಕ್ಷವಿದ್ದಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾಣಿಗಳನ್ನು ಗುರುತಿಂಡಿಸಿ ಕೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಪ್ರೀತಿಯ ನಾವು ನಮ್ಮೆಲ್ಲಾ ತಾ 15-8-1942 ರಲ್ಲೂ ನಮ್ಮ ಸ್ಥಾನದ ವಲಯ ಸಚಿವರ ಪೀಠಿಕೆಯಿಂದ ಪ್ರತಿಜ್ಞೆ ಮಾಡಿ ಕೊಂಡೆವು ಪ್ರತಿಜ್ಞೆಯನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ಸ್ಥಿತಿಗೆ ಪ್ರಾಣಾಪೇಕ್ಷೆ ಮಿಸಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರವಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆಯನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿ ಕೊಂಡೆವು ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ ತಾ 25-8-42 ಜಿ. ನಂಬರು 2562/ಪೀಠಿಪಚೆ. 29-41-13 ನಂಬರಾಕ್ಷಿ ಬಂದು ಪೀವಲಬ್ಬಿ/ಮೆಂಬರ್ ಪೀಠ್ರೆ ವರಿಯವರಿಂದ ಎಂಡಾರ್ಸ್ಮೆಂಟ್ ಬಂದು ಪ್ರಿದರ್ಶನ ಈ ಆಚರಿಯಾಗಿ ಸೂಚಿಸಿಲ್ಲ ಪ್ರಿಕಾರ. ವಿಧಿ ಕಾಪಿಯಿಂದ ನಮ್ಮ ಬಂಧು ಪಿಂಚಿ ಬಂದ ಎಂಡಾರ್ಸ್ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ನಡೆಸಲು ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ. ಹಾಲಿ ಪೀಠಿಪಚೆ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಕಾರ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ ಮಾಡಿರುವಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾಪ ಕಾರ್ಯ ನಿರ್ವಹಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಇನ್ನು ಪ್ರಿಯಾಂಗಿಯವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಮೆಂದು ಮನವಿಯೂ ಕರಿಷ್ಠರು ಪ್ರೀತಿಯಿಂದ ಸಿಂ ಮಂದರವರು ದಯವಿಟ್ಟು ಕಡೇ ಪಕ್ಷ ಪೀಠಿಪಚೆ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಿಗಾದರೂ ಪ್ರಿಯಾಂಯುರ ಸಲಾ (ಕೋಮಸನ್ನು) ಪಿಶ್ರೀಕೆ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆಯಿಂದ ಬಾಗ್ಯಕೆ ವಕ್ಷೆ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ ಪೀಠಿಸುವಂತೆ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿ ಮಾಡಿ ಪಿದರ್ಶನ ಪೀಠಿಪಚೆ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಿಗಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಿಯಾಂ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ

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P. Y. Anjaneyulu

పి. వెంకట్ రెడ్డి

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V. Narayana Swamy

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C. Ramakrishna

No.1938/41-42

Office of the Census Superintendent in Mysore,
Bangalore, Dated the 18th Feb 1942.

To

Mr. K.Sannaiah and others,
74, Purna Venkata Rao Road,
Kansasinghpet, Bangalore City.

ENDORSEMENT.

With reference to their petition dated 25-12-1941 requesting to be intimated as to the particular caste under which the Knaiyar Community has been classed in the recent Census, Mr.K.Sannaiah, No.74, Purna Venkata Rao Road Kansasinghpet, Bangalore and others are hereby informed that the question is before Government for their decision.

(Sd) P.H.Krishna Rao

Census Superintendent.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No.G.10789/Census. General and Revenue Secretariat,
Dated Bangalore, 14th April 1942.

Endorsement.

To

Mr. G. Narayanaswamy, No. 6, Poornavenkata Rao lane,
Ranasingpet, Bangalore City.

With reference to his petition dated 30th January 1942 in the matter of classification of Kaniyar community under Backward classes, Mr. G. Narayanaswamy is informed that the Minister for Local Self-Government and Public Health will give him a hearing in his chambers at Old Public Offices between 3 P.M. and 5 P.M. on Friday the 17th April 1942.

By order,
Sd/- K. Rama Sastri,
For Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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Mysore.

C.Narasimha Moorty,M.A.,
Private Secretary

Lake View
Mysore.
20th June 1942.

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Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 17th instant requesting an interview with the Dewan for a deputation of members of the Kaniyara Seva Samaja, Bangalore City, in connection with their representation regarding the recognation of the Kaniyar Community as distinct from the Depressed Classes, I am-desired to say that the Dewan will be glad to see the deputation at the public Offices, Bangalore on Friday the 26th instant at 9.a.m.

Yours Faithfully,
(SD) C.Narasimha Moorty.

The President,
Kaniyara Seva Samaja,
No.6, Purna Venkatarao Road,
Ranasinghpet,Bangalore City.

No.7386

Office of the Census Superintendent in Mysore.

Dated Bangalore 27th June 1942

From

P.M.Krishna Rao Esq., B.A.,
Census Superintendent in Mysore,
B A N G A L O R E.

To

The Honorary Secretary,
Kaniyar Seva Samaj,
Bangalore City.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.17/41-42 dated the 11th May 1942 in the matter of classifying Kaniyar Community under Backward class instead of under Depressed Class as at present I have the honour to state that the Kaniyar Community has been classified under " Depressed Class" at this Census. As in the past.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

(SD) S.Nagappa

For Census Superintendent.

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Government of His Highness the Maharaja Of Mysore.
General and Revenue Secretariat
Dated Bangalore 8th August 1942.

No.C2056/ Census 29/41

ENDORSEMENT.

To

C.Narayanaswamy Esq.,
Secretary, Kaniyara Seva Samaj,
No.6,Purna Venkata Rao Road,
Ramasingh Pet, Bangalore City.

With reference to his petition No.38 dated 29th June 1942 addressed to the Dewan in the matter of classifying Kaniyar Community under the backward class instead of under depressed class in the present Census, Mr,C.Narayanaswamy and others are informed that this matter was once discussed and settled as already intimated to him by the Census Superintendent.

By order
(SD) C.S.Srinivasa Char
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and revenue Secretariat

No.S.2686/Census Bangalore dated 13th Aug 1942

From

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Development Department

To

The President,
Kaniyar Sara Samaj,
No.6 Poorna Venkata Rao Road Street
Hanumanthnagar, Bangalore City.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your petition No. 1942 dated 22nd July 1942 addressed to the Minister, Local Self Government and Public Health, Praying for an interview with him in connection with the classification of your community in the present Census, I am directed to state that this matter was once discussed and settled as already intimated to the Samaj by the Census Superintendent.

Yours Faithfully,

(Sd) C.S. Srinivasa Char

for Secretary to Government
Development Department

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

No.G.2562 Census 29-41-13 General and Revenue Secretariat Dated Bangalore 25-8-1942

ENDORSEMENT.

Granted to the Secretary, Kanivar Seva Samaj, No. 6, Poorna Venkata Rao Road, Kumaraswamy Bangalore City.

With reference to the petition dated the 17th August 1942 addressed to the Minister for Local Self-Government and Public Health by Mr. T. Narayanaswami and other persons of the Kaniyar community in the matter of classification of the Kaniyar community under backward class instead of under depressed classes in the Census of the Secretary of the Samaj is informed that the Census Superintendent in Mysore has been requested to mention in the Census report that the Kanivar Community was not included in this year's report under backward classes but it would be classified under the backward class communities in the next report i.e., 1951.

(Sd) V. Srinivasa Char
Secretary to Government
Development Department.

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OFFICE OF THE DEWAN
OF MYSORE.
INTERVIEW PETITION.
MEMO OF POINTS 25-9-42
Petn. Regr. No. 2572

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B. C. Rangappa, President,
Kaniyara Sangha, Bangalore.

1. The Benign Government were kind enough to promise to the then R.A. Member, representative of the Kaniyara Sangha, at the R.A. Session of October 1940, that the representation to include the Kaniyars under Backword Classes, instead of Depressed Classes, would be noted and action taken at the next Census.

2. Accordingly, any reply from the Government, as to the action in the matter, had to be sent to the Kaniyara Sangha, which is in existence for the past 16 years.

3. On the other hand, the Kaniyara Seva Samaja which seems to have come into existence since January 1942, at the instance of some disgruntled folk of the Community, appears to have managed to get the endorsement No. G. 2562/Census 29-41-13 dated 25th May 1942 from the Government and endorsement No. 688/42-43 dated 3rd September 1942 from the Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore, in the matter, and thereby doing propaganda work, detrimental to the interests of the Sangha, thereby frustrating the very sacred objects

with which the Sangha was formed besides trying to undo the useful work done so far by the Sangha.

4. After all the Seva Samaja which has now come into existence consists of a small minority and cannot be considered as representing the Kaniyara Community.

5. It is therefore respectfully prayed, that a communication in this behalf may very kindly be addressed to the Secretary of the Kaniyara Sangha as it is this Sangha, that is agitating for this from a long time, through its recognised representative.

A detailed representation in this matter was submitted to you, Sir, through the Private Secretary, on last Friday the 18th September 1942.

B L Ramappa

Bangalore City,) President,
25th Sep.1942.) Kaniyara Sangha.

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KANIYARA SANGHA,

REGISTERED. 10—8—1926.

(REGISTERED UNDER THE MYSORE SOCIETIES REGULATION, NO. III OF 1904.)

HEAD OFFICE: ALBERT VICTOR ROAD. CHAMARAJAPET.

OFFICE OF THE MINISTER FOR L.S.G. Date 18.9.42 No. P.192

Gt 8-9/42-43 To

Encl: 5

Bangalore City 18th Sept, 1942.

H. B. Gundappa Gowda, Esquire, B.A.B.L.,
Minister for Local Self Government & Public Health,
Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

Cens. 14-42-1

GEN. SECT. 21 SEP 1942 GEN. M.S. BRANCH.

Sir.

In the matter of the classification of the Kaniyara community in the Census.

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The benign Government is aware of the existence, since 1926, of the Kaniyara Sangha which is the only organisation of the Kaniyara community in the Mysore State, which is working strenuously for the advancement of the educational, social and moral welfare of the members of the community. Due recognition was also granted by the benign Government to the Kaniyara Sangha in 1927, and the Sangha was even granted the privilege of deputing on its behalf a member to the Mysore Representative Assembly from 1927 to 1940. It is therefore humbly submitted that the Kaniyara Sangha is the only organ of this Backward Community which can claim to voicex its grievances and to obtain redress thereof.

Because, in the census of 1921, the Kaniyars in the Mysore State were treated as part of the Holeya Community and because such a classification was grossly erroneous and opposed to realities, the Kaniyars legitimately took exception to the classification and urged in the census of 1931 for their classification separately from the Adi Karnatakas.

On account of this erroneous classification which tended to degrade the community irreparably, the members of the community began to agitate in this behalf through the Kaniyara Sangha which

which is the only accredited organ of the entire community in the State.

As early as 28-3-1931, the Secretary, Kaniyara Sangha, addressed a letter No. GT. 98/30-31 to the Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore, requesting that the Kaniyars should be placed in the Backward Classes amongst the Caste Hindus, as it was wrong to treat them as belonging to any of the Depressed Classes. After some correspondence, the Census Superintendent was pleased to grant an endorsement to the Secretary (No.2929 dated 9-4-1931) assuring the Secretary that any suggestion for the classification of the Kaniyara Community would be duly considered. Accordingly the Census Superintendent was requested by the Secretary, in his letter No. Gt.181/30-31 dated 12th J 1931 to treat the Kaniyara Community as one of the Backward Classes amongst the caste Hindus in all the records, for the simple reason that they were really caste Hindus. But, when the Census Report of 1931 was published, the Kaniyara Sangha was shocked to find that the Kaniyara Community was continued to be treated in the category of Depressed classes in the Census of 1931 also, as may be seen from the Census Report of 1931, Part I, page 329, para 358.

Subsequently, the matter was taken up with the Government and the Secretary, Kaniyara Sangha, in his letter No. Gt. 5/ 36-37 dated 11th May 1937 addressed to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore, pointed out the rather unfair treatment meted out to the Kaniyars and requested that the Government be pleased to classify the Kaniyara Community

Community separately in the same way as the Ganigars, Maharattas etc., were treated. In reply thereto, the Government were pleased in their letter No. R.L. 1268/ R.A. 78-36-4 dated 21-5-1937 to suggest to the Secretary that the question should be raised at the time of the next Census, namely in 1941. Accordingly, the then Secretary of the Kaniyara Sangha, Mr. B.C. Rangappa, who was representing the Kaniyara Sangha in the Mysore Representative Assembly at the time made a representation during the DASARA session in 1940 that the Kaniyara community should be shown in Government Records and in the ensuing Census ~~under~~ under the heading " Backward classes" instead of under " Depressed Classes" The Dewan President was good enough to reply that the prayer - would be noted (proceedings of the Mysore Representative Assembly Dasara session, october 1940, page 124, Representation No.121).

The Kaniyara Sangha was therefore confident that the needful would be done at the Census of 1941 and that an endorsement from the Government would automatically issue to the Secretary of the Sangha in due course, intimating him the fact of having effected this change. But, so far, the Kaniyara Sangha which still continues to function for the uplift of the Community and which alone was and is still carrying on agitation for this long delayed rectification has not been favoured with any endorsement Instead, the Kaniyara Kangha learns that a small clique of boys with the name and style of " Kaniyara Seva Samaja" is alleged to have received in this connection an endorsement (No. 688 of 42-43 dated 3-9-1942) from the Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore. The undersigned humbly submits that, when it is the Kaniyara Sangha that has carried on all the agitation in

endorsement issued by the Census Superintendent to the said Samaja be kindly directed to be withdrawn.

In all matters connected with Kaniyars in the State, it is respectfully submitted it is the Kaniyara Sangha that has to be consulted and not the " Kaniyara Seva Samaja" which has come into existence only a few months ago and which seems to be doing things as though it is on behalf of the " Kaniyara Sangha".

The copies of the endorsements received by the Sangha in this behalf from the Government and the Census Superintendent are submitted herewith for kind perusal.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

B. Ramam

President.

No. 2894 dated 6th April 1931 from the Census Superintendent to the ~~President~~ Secretary, Kaniya Sangha, Chamrajpet, Bangalore.

With reference to his letter No.Gt.98/30-31 dated the 28th March 1931 requesting to be informed whether certain enumerators have recorded " Kaniyars" as Adikarnatakas in the Census, the Secretary, Kaniyar Sangha, is informed that the information recorded in the Census is treated as confidential and cannot be communicated.

President, Kaniyar Sangha.

Sd/- Census Superintendent.

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No. 2929. dated the 9th April, 1931, from the Census Superintendent to the Secretary, Kaniyar Sangha, Albert Victor Road, Chamrajpet, Bangalore City.

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With reference to his representation No.Gt. 103/30-31 dated the 8th April 1931 regarding the entry made in the Census Schedule about Kaniyars, the Secretary, Kaniyar Sangha, Bangalore City, is informed that any suggestion which he may make regarding the clasification of the community will be duly considered but that under Section 12 of the Mysore Census Regulation, the information recorded in the Schedule against particular persons cannot be communicated to him.

President, Kaniyar Sangha. Sd/- Census Superintendent.

" True copy"

No. 1268/ R.A. 78-36-4 dated 21st May 1937 from the Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness The Maharaja of Mysore, to the Secretary, The Kaniyara Sangha, Bangalore City.

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With reference to your letter No. Gt.5/36-37 dated 11th May 1937 stating that the Kaniyara Community does not belong to the depressed Classes and requesting that the Kaniyara Sangha may be classified separately as the Ganigas, Mahrattas etc., I am directed to state that the question should be raised at the time of the next Census and it is not possible to do anything for the present.

Sd. Chief Secretary to Government.

" True copy"

B.B. Ramaiah

President, Kaniyar Sangha.

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ದೇಶದಾಮಳಿ ಕಣಿಯ ಜನಾಂಗದ ಮಹಾಜನಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನೆ:

ಪ್ರಿಯ ಭಾಂದವರೇ.

ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗದ ಪ್ರಜಾಗಣತಿಯ ಕೆಲವು ಮುಖ್ಯ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗ ಸಂಘದ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರಿ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರ ಮುಂದಿಡಲು ಅನೇಕ ವೇಳೆ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಪಟ್ಟರೂ ಸಹ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ಮಾತನಾಡುವುದಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶಕೊಡದೆ ಅಡಚಣೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಈ ಪ್ರಕಟನೆ ಮುಖೇನ್ಯ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪಿಸಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗವನ್ನು ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಪ್ರಜಾಗಣತಿಯ ಲೆಕ್ಕದಲ್ಲಿ (ಅಂದರೆ ಸೆನ್ಸಸ್ಸ್) ಡಿಪ್ರೆಸ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಲಾಸಿಗೆ ಸೇರಿಸಿದ್ದ ವಿಷಯವು, ಸಕಲರಿಗೂ ವೇದ್ಯವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆಯಷ್ಟೆ, ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗವನ್ನು ಡಿಪ್ರೆಸ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಲಾಸಿನಿಂದ ಬ್ಯಾಕ್‌ವರ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಲಾಸಿಗೆ ಬದಲಾಯಿಸ ಬೇಕೆಂದು ಘನ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಸಮಾಜದ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕಣಿಯರ ಸೇವಾ ಸಮಾಜದವರು ಗುರುತರವಾದ, ಛಾಪನೆಯಿಂದ, ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರನ್ನು ಬಹುತರವಾಗಿ, ಈಗಾಗಲೆ ಸುಮಾರು ಒಂದು ವರ್ಷದಿಂದಲೂ, ಪ್ರಯಾಸದಿಂದ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನಪಟ್ಟವರಾಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಕ್ರಮಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಘನ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಸದಭಿಪ್ರಾಯವನ್ನು ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರಾಗಿ ಮುಂದೆ ಬರಲಿರುವ ಎರಡನೆ ಪ್ರಕಟನೆಯನ್ನು ಎದುರು ನೋಡಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

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ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ }
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(ಮುಖ್ಯ ಕಛೇರಿ) ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ

(ಮೈಸೂರುಸರ್ಕಾರದಲ್ಲಿ 1904ರ, 3ನೇ ಮತ್ತು 1939ರ 5ನೇ ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗಳ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ರಿಜಿಸ್ಟರಾಗಿವೆ)

ಶ್ರೀಯುತ ಬಾಂಧವರೆ-

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ನಮ್ಮ ಕೋಮನ್ನು ಡಿಪ್ರೆಸ್ಡ್‌ಕ್ಲಾಸ್ಸಿನಿಂದ ಬ್ಯಾಕ್‌ವರ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಲಾಸಿಗೆ ಸೇರಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ತಕ್ಕ ಏರ್ಪಾಟುಗಳನ್ನು ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸಮಾಜದ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರಿ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ಈಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸುಮಾರು ಒಂದು ವರುಷದಿಂದ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭಿಸಿ, ಬಹುತರವಾಗಿ ಮೈಹರ್ಬಾಣ ಘನ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಲ್ಲಿ ಅತಿ ವಿನಯದಿಂದ ಗುರುತರವಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸಿಕೊಂಡೆವು ಆ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರತಕ್ಕ ಎಂಡಾರ್ಸ್‌ಮೆಂಟುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ, ಆ ನೇ ಕವು ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸೆನ್ಸಸ್‌ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂದಿರುತ್ತವೆ.

ಕಡೆಯದಾಗಿ ಸಮಾಜದ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರಿ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ಘನಸರ್ಕಾರದವರನ್ನು ಮುಖತಃ ಕಂಡು ಮಾತನಾಡಿ ಇತರ್ಕ್ಕಾನಿಜಾಂಶವನ್ನು ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದಮೇಲೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವಂದ ತಾ॥ 25-5-42ರಲ್ಲಿ No. G.2562 Census, 29/41/13 - ನೇ ನಂಬರುಳ್ಳ ಎಂಡಾರ್ಸ್‌ಮೆಂಟಿನ ಮೂಲಕ ನಮ್ಮ ಕಣಿಯರ ಕೋಮನ್ನು ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ಪಂಗಡಕ್ಕೆ (ಬ್ಯಾಕ್‌ವರ್ಡ್‌ಕ್ಲಾಸಿಗೆ) ಸೇರಿಸಿರುವುದಾಗಿಯೂ, ಮತ್ತು ಮೈಸೂರುಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಸೆನ್ಸಸ್ ಸೂಪರಿಂಟೆಂಡೆಂಟ್ ಸಾಹೇಬರವರಿಂದ ನಂ. 688/42-43 Dated 3-9-42ರಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸಮಾಜದವರಿಗೆ ಬಂದಿರತಕ್ಕ ಹುಕುಂನಲ್ಲಿಯೂ, ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಕೋಮನ್ನು ನಿಮ್ನ ಪಂಗಡಗಳಿಂದ ತೆಗೆದು ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ಪಂಗಡಗಳಜತೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸೇರಿಸಿರುವುದಾಗಿ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆಕೊಡಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಮೈಸೂರುವೇಶದಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ದೇಶದಾದ್ಯಂತವಿರುವ ಕಣಿಯರ ಜನಾಂಗಕ್ಕೆಸೇರಿದ ಮಹಿಳೆಯರಿಗೂ ಮತ್ತುವ ಹನೀಯರಿಗೂಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸಂತೋಷದಸಮಾಚಾರವನ್ನು ಕಣಿಯರಸೇವಾಸಮಾಜದವರು ತಿಳಿಸಲು ತುಂಬಾ ಸಂತೋಷ ಪಡುತ್ತಾರೆ

ಏನೇ ಆಗಲಿ ಘನಹೊಂದಿದ ನಮ್ಮನ್ನಾಳುವ ಶ್ರೀ ಮ್ಮಮಹಾರಾಜಾ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರುಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸಮಾಜದವರ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆಯನ್ನು ಈಡೇರಿಸಿಕೊಟ್ಟು, ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗವನ್ನು ಕೃತಾರ್ಥರನ್ನಾಗಿ ಮಾಡಿರುತ್ತಾರಾಗಿ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಕಣಿಯರ ಸೇವಾ ಸಮಾಜದವರು ಸಾಮಾಜಿಕರುಗಳ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಘನಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಹೃತ್ಪೂರ್ವಕವಾದ ವಂದನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಅರ್ಪಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ
ತಾ॥6-9-42

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KANIYARA SANGHA,

REGISTERED 10—8—1926.

(REGISTERED UNDER THE MYSORE SOCIETIES REGULATION, NO. III OF 1904.)

HEAD OFFICE: ALBERT VICTOR ROAD, CHAMARAJAPET.

No Gt 8-9/42-43 To
Encl: 5

Bangalore City 18th Sept, 1942

Pradhanasiromani
N. Madhava Rao, Esqr., B.A.,B.L.,
Dewan of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE.
Date of receipt 21.9.42
Petn. Regr. No. 227

Sir,

In the matter of the classification of the Kaniyara community in the Census.

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The benign Government is aware of the existence, since 1926, of the Kaniyara Sangha which is the only organisation of the Kaniyar community in the Mysore State, which is working strenuously for the advancement of the educational, social and moral welfare of the members of the community. Due recognition was also granted by the benign Government to the Kaniyara Sangha in 1927, and the Sangha was even granted the privilege of deputing on its behalf a member to the Mysore Representative Assembly from 1927 to 1940. It is therefore humbly submitted that the Kaniyara Sangha is the only organ of this Backward Community which can claim to voices its grievances and to obtain redress thereof.

Because, in the census of 1921, the Kaniyars in the Mysore State were treated as part of the Holeya Community and because such a classification was grossly erroneous and opposed to realities, the Kaniyars legitimately took exception to the classification and urged in the census of 1931 for their classification separately from the Adi Karnatakas.

On account of this erroneous classification which tended to degrade the community irreparably, the members of the community began to agitate in this behalf through the Kaniyara Sangha which

which is the only accredited organ of the entire community in the State.

As early as 28-3-1931, the Secretary, Kaniyara Sangha, addressed a letter No. GT. 98/30-31 to the Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore, requesting that the Kaniyars should be - placed in the Backward Classes amongst the Caste Hindus, as it was wrong to treat them as belonging to any of the Depressed Classes. After some correspondence, the Census Superintendent was pleased to grant an endorsement to the Secretary (No.2929 dated 9-4-1931) assuring the Secretary that any suggestion for the classification of the Kaniyara Community would be duly considered. Accordingly, the Census Superintendent was requested by the Secretary, in his letter No. Gt.181/30-31 dated 12th June 1931 to treat the Kaniyara Community as one of the Backward - Classes amongst the caste Hindus in all the records, for the simple reason that they were really caste Hindus. But, when the Census Report of 1931 was published, the Kaniyara Sangha was shocked to find that the Kaniyara Community was continued to be treated in the category of Depressed classes in the Census of 1931 also, as may be seen from the Census Report of 1931, Part I, page 329, para 358.

Subsequently, the matter was taken up with the Government and the Secretary, Kaniyara Sangha, in his letter No. Gt. 5/ 36-37 dated 11th May 1937 addressed to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore, pointed out the rather unfair treatment meted out to the Kaniyars and requested that the Government be pleased to classify the Kaniyara Community

Community separately in the same way as the Ganigars, Maharattas etc., were treated. In reply thereto, the Government were pleased in their letter No. R.L. 1268/ R.A. 78-36-4 dated 21-5-1937 to suggest to the Secretary that the question should be raised at the time of the next Census, namely in 1941. Accordingly, the then Secretary of the Kaniyara Sangha, Mr. B.C. Rangappa, who was representing the Kaniyara Sangha in the Mysore Representative Assembly at the time made a representation during the DASARA session in 1940 that the Kaniyara community should be shown in Government Records and in the ensuing Census ~~order~~ under the heading " Backward classes" instead of under " Depressed Classes". The Dewan President was good enough to reply that the prayer - would be noted (preceedings of the Mysore Representative Assembly, Dasara session, october 1940, page 124, Representation No.121).

The Kaniyara Sangha was therefore confident that the needful would be done at the Census of 1941 and that an endorsement from the Government would automatically issue to the Secretary of the Sangha in due course, intimating him the fact of having effected this change. But, so far, the Kaniyara Sangha which still continues to function for the uplift of the Community and which alone was and is still carrying on agitation for this long delayed rectification has not been favoured with any endorsement. Instead, the Kaniyara Kangha learns that a small clique of boys with the name and style of " Kaniyara Seva Samaja" is alleged to have received in this connection an endorsement (No. 688 of 42-43 dated 3-9-1942) from the Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore. The undersigned humbly submits that, when it is the Kaniyara Sangha that has carried on all the agitation in

in this behalf all these many years, it is the Sangha alone that should be favoured with a formal intimation of the fact of having effected the desired change in the Census of 1941 and that no response should have been made to any communication made by the so called " Kaniyara Seva Samaja" which came into existence only a few months ago, to serve the ends of one disgruntled individual, one K. Sanniah. The said K. Sanniah when he was the Secretary, had misappropriated the goods belonging to the Kaniyara Co-operative Society, and when he was exposed by his successor, the undersigned, the Co-operative Department collected the value of the goods from the said Sanniah by threatening him with a criminal prosecution. As a result of this exposure, he collected a small group of boys around him and revolte against the Sangha and its President by forming the so called - " Kaniyara Seva Samaja" The Main object of the Samaja is, from its inception a few months ago, to carry on a campaign of vilification against the Sangha and its President, the undersigned, and to belittle the services rendered by the Sangha to the Community. Copies of pamphlets published by the said Sanniah are enclosed herewith for kind information.

The undersigned who is the President of the Kaniyara Sangha therefore humbly requests that an endorsement may kindly be -- granted to the Kaniyara Sangha as to the aforesaid change having been effected in the Census of 1941.

The Sangha further prays that in view of the gross misrepresentations made by the so called " Kaniyara Seva Samaja" and in view of its unrepresentative character, the endorsement

endorsement issued by the Census Superintendent to the said Samaja be kindly directed to be withdrawn.

In all matters connected with Kaniyars in the State, it is respectfully submitted it is the Kaniyara Sangha that has to be consulted and not the " Kaniyara Seva Samaja" which has come into existence only a few months ago and which seems to be doing things as though it is on behalf of the " Kaniyara Sangha".

The copies of the endorsements received by the Sangha in this behalf from the Government and the Census Superintendent are submitted herewith for kind perusal.

I beg to remain,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

B. Ramaiya

President.

No. 2894 dated 6th April 1931 from the Census Superintendent to the ~~President~~ Secretary, Kaniya Sangha, Chamrajpet, Bangalore.

With reference to his letter No.Gt.98/30-31 dated the 28th March 1931 requesting to be informed whether certain enumerators have recorded " Kaniyars" as Adikarnatakas in the Census, the Secretary, Kaniyar Sangha, is informed that the information recorded in the Census is treated as confidential and cannot be communicated.

President, Kaniyar Sangha.

Sd/- Census Superintendent.

" True copy"

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No. 2929. dated the 9th April, 1931, from the Census Superintendent to the Secretary, Kaniyar Sangha, Albert Victor Road, Chamrajpet, Bangalore City.

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With reference to his representation No.Gt. 103/30-31 dated the 8th April 1931 regarding the entry made in the Census Schedule about Kaniyars, the Secretary, Kaniyar Sangha, Bangalore City, is informed that any suggestion which he may make regarding the clasification of the community will be duly considered but that under Section 12 of the Mysore Census Regulation, the information recorded in the Schedule against particular persons cannot be communicated to him.

President, Kaniyar Sangha. Sd/- Census Superintendent.

" True copy"

No. 1268/ R.A. 78-36-4 dated 21st May 1937 from the Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness The Maharaja of Mysore, to the Secretary, The Kaniyara Sangha, Bangalore City.

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With reference to your letter No. Gt.5/36-37 dated 11th May 1937 stating that the Kaniyara Community does not belong to the depressed Classes and requesting that the Kaniyara Sangha may be classified separately as the Ganigas, Mahrattas etc., I am directed to state that the question should be raised at the time of the next Census and it is not possible to do anything for the present.

Sd. Chief Secretary to Government.

" True copy"

B.B. Ramaiah

President, Kaniyar Sangha.

ಪ್ರಜಾಗಣತಿ ವಿಷಯ.

ಪ್ರಕಟನೆ ನಂ.

ದೇಶದಾನ್ಯಂತ ಕಣಿಯ ಜನಾಂಗದ ಮುಖಾಜನಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪ್ತಿ:—

ಪ್ರಿಯ ಭಾಂದವರೇ

ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗದ ಪ್ರಜಾಗಣತಿಯ ಕೆಲವು ಮುಖ್ಯ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗ ಸಂಘದ ಕಾರ್ಯಕಾರಿ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರ ಮುಂದಿಡಲು ಅನೇಕ ಮೇಳೆ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಪಟ್ಟರೂ ಸಹ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ಮಾತನಾಡುವುದಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶಕೊಡದೆ ಅಡಚಣೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಈ ಪ್ರಕಟನೆ ಮುಖೇನ್ನ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪಿಸಿ ಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗವನ್ನು ಮೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಪ್ರಜಾಗಣತಿಯ ಲೆಕ್ಕದಲ್ಲಿ (ಆಂವರೇಸೆಸಸ್ಸ್)—ಡಿಪ್ರೆಸ್ಸ್‌ಕ್ಲಾಸಿಗೆ. ಸೇರಿಸಿದ್ದ ವಿಷಯವು, ಸಕಲರಿಗೂ ವೇದ್ಯವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆಯಷ್ಟೆ. ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಜನಾಂಗವನ್ನು ಡಿಪ್ರೆಸ್ಸ್ ಕ್ಲಾಸಿನಿಂದ ಬ್ಯಾಕ್‌ವರ್ಡ್ ಕ್ಲಾಸಿಗೆ ಬದಲಾಯಿಸ ಬೇಕೆಂದು ಘನ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಸಮಾಜದ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕಣಿಯರ ಸೇವಾ ಸಮಾಜದವರು ಗುರುತರವಾದ, ಭಾವನೆಯಿಂದ, ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರನ್ನು ಬಹುತರವಾಗಿ, ಈಗಾಗಲೆ ಸುಮಾರು ಒಂದು ವರ್ಷದಿಂದಲೂ ಪ್ರಯಾಸದಿಂದ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನಪಟ್ಟವರಾಗಿ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಕ್ರಮಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಂಡಿರುತ್ತಾರೆ.

ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಘನ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಸಂತೃಪ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುತ್ತಾರಾಗಿ ಮುಂದೆ ಬರಲಿರುವ ಎರಡನೆ ಪ್ರಕಟನೆಯನ್ನು ಎಮರು ನೋಡಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಕೆ. ಆರ್. ಮಾದಯ್ಯ,

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ, 131-8-42

ಇತಿ ಸಜ್ಜನ ವಿಧೇಯ

ಸಮಾಜ ಸೇವಿ.

ಷಣ್ಮುಗಾನಂದ ಪ್ರೆಸ್, ಅರಳೇಪೇಟೆ, ಬಿ. ಸಿಟಿ.

Cen 14-42-2

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read: from the members

Representations of the Kaniyara Community praying that the community be classified under "Backward Classes" instead of "Depressed Classes" in the Census of 1941.

ORDER NO. G6590 DATED 26.11.42
are passed

Government direct that the Kaniyara Community be classified under "Backward Classes" in the next Census, viz., Census of 1951.

MD 18/11/42
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

To: The Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore, in continuation of Development Secretary's letter No.G.2552/Census 29-41-12 dated the 24th Aug.1942.

Cens.14-42-3

G6591-2/ Rll each & 26/11/42

ENDORSEMENT.

To: 1. The Secretary, Kanyara Seva Samaj, No.6 Purnavenkata Rao Road, Ranasingpet

2. The President, Kanyara Sangha, Albert Victor Road, Chamarajapet.

With reference to ~~your~~ ~~several~~ his petitions to the Dewan and the Minister, L.S.G. ~~your~~ his attention is invited to a copy of G.O.No. G6590 Cens/14-42-2 dated 27.11.42 (enclosed) issued in the matter of classification of Kanvara Community in the next Census of 1951.

By Order,

MD 18/11/42
Development Secretary to Govt.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

Read:-

Representations from the members of the Kaniyara Community praying that the community be classified under "Backward Classes" instead of "Depressed Classes" in the Census of 1941.

ORDER NO. G 6590/6 Cen 14-42-2

Dated, the, Bangalore 26 November 1942.

Government are pleased to direct that the Kaniyara Community be classified under "Backward Classes" in the next Census, viz., Census of 1951.

K R Ramaswamy

for Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

To

The Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore in continuation of Development Secretary's letter No.G.2552/Census 29-41-12 dated the 24th August 1942.

kmns.4/-